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SUBJECT: CONCORDE

1. FOLLOWING STATEMENT WAS ISSUED BY WHITE HOUSE PRESS
SPOKESMAN EVENING FEBRUARY 16 AND GIVEN IMMEDIATELY TO WIRE
SERVICES:

"I WANT TO MAKE SURE IT IS CLEARLY UNDERSTOOD THAT PRESIDENT
FULLY SUPPORTS THE 16-MONTH TEST PERIOD FOR THE CONCORDE
IN THE TERMS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED BY SECRETARY COLEMAN. HE
SEES THIS AS A CONTINUING PROCESS, INVOLVING THIS GOVERNMENT
AND THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UK AND FRANCE, WHICH SHOULD BE
ALLOWED TO PROCEED."

2. STATEMENT WAS TELEPHONED TO BRITISH AND FRENCH AMBAS-
SADORS BY NSC STAFF MEMBER WHO EXPRESSED THE PRESIDENT'S
CONCERN TO THE AMBASSADORS AT THE WAY IN WHICH THE CONCORDE
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STATEMENT MADE AT THE REGULAR PRESS BRIEFING FEBRUARY 16
WAS BEING REPORTED AND AT THE CONFUSION WHICH HAD RESULTED.
NSC STAFFER SAID HE HAD ALSO BEEN INSTRUCTED TO REPEAT TO
THE TWO AMBASSADORS THE PRESIDENT'S DEEP CONCERN FOR RE-
LATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND BRITAIN AND FRANCE.
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